

Billet of the Week

Billet Opportunity, Remote Sensing Tech Specialist The National Ocean Service's National Geodetic Survey (NGS), is seeking an interested junior officer for the Remote Sensing Tech Specialist billet (#7192). Primary duties include the operation of airborne sensor systems such as digital aerial cameras, LASER terrain mappers, gravimeters, and new technologies as they become available. The officer will operate sensors aboard a variety of NOAA aircraft in support of RSD's Coastal Mapping and Aeronautical Survey Programs. The officer will become familiar with the acquisition and processing of digital imagery, GPS data, and LIDAR data and will provide a level of quality assurance review to the data. Advanced GPS surveying techniques will be developed. The officer will be involved in the installation, calibration, trouble shooting, and removal of all sensor equipment. Interaction with the general public is common in the field.

This is a mobile duty billet and the officer will receive extensive time on the road. Flexibility and adaptability are key assets. Self motivation and an interest/background in geospatial data collection are desired. This billet will give an officer a chance to see and experience many various areas of the United States and its territories.

Assignment begins July 1, 2009, but this date is flexible. To express interest in this billet, contact CDR Mike Weaver, NOS Assignment Rep at mike.weaver@noaa.gov. For further technical information about this billet, contact LT Andrew Halbach at andrew.halbach@noaa.gov.